



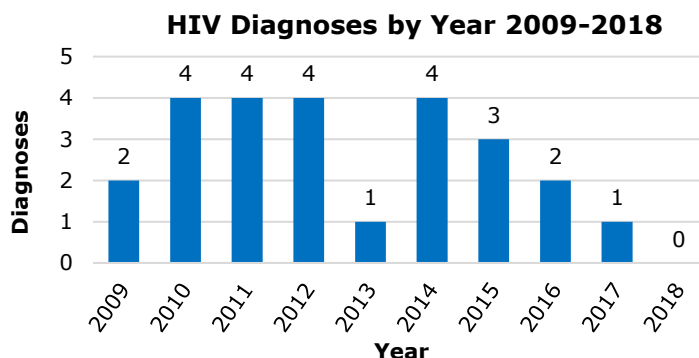
HIV IN CAROLINE COUNTY, 2018

OCTOBER 2019

New HIV Diagnoses

In 2018, there were no new HIV diagnoses in Caroline County.

- Over the past 5 years, HIV diagnoses in Caroline County have decreased from a high of 4 in 2014 to zero in 2018.
- 52.0% of the diagnoses for the past 5 years in Caroline County were NH-Black.
- Among the last 5 years of diagnoses, 32.0% were aged 40-49 years old, and 24.0% were aged 50-59 years old.



People Living with Diagnosed HIV

At the end of 2018, there were 59 people living with diagnosed HIV in Caroline County.

Age on December 31, 2018

13-19	1	1.7%
20-29	3	5.1%
30-39	7	11.9%
40-49	15	25.4%
50-59	25	42.4%
60+	8	13.6%

Sex at Birth

Male	38	64.4%
Female	21	35.6%

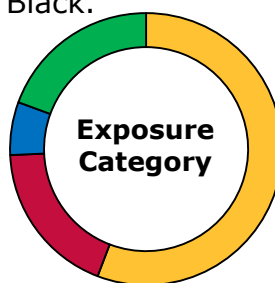
Race/Ethnicity

Hispanic	0	0.0%
NH-Black	35	59.3%
NH-White	16	27.1%
NH-Other	8	13.6%

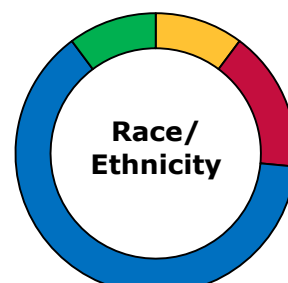
Exposure Category

MSM	21	35.8%
IDU	10	16.3%
MSM/IDU	3	5.1%
HET	23	39.5%
Perinatal Transmission	2	3.4%

- Rates (per 100,000) were 1.9 times as high in males (281.9) compared to females (147.6).
- Rates among people living with diagnosed HIV were 12 to 14 times higher among multiracial or people of other race (1,044.4) compared to NH-Blacks (919.4) and NH-Whites (74.3). 59.3% of people living with diagnosed HIV in Caroline County were NH-Black.



■ MSM ■ IDU
■ MSM/IDU ■ HET



■ Hispanic ■ NH-Black
■ NH-White ■ NH-Other

NH: Non-Hispanic | **HET:** Heterosexual Contact | **IDU:** Injection Drug Use | **MSM:** Male-to-male Sexual Contact

Jurisdiction of residence from the most recent report since 1/1/2009.

Multiple imputation was used to estimate and adjust for missing exposure category. Values may not sum to total. Other exposure categories not shown.

Data reported through 6/30/2019 from the Enhanced HIV/AIDS Reporting System (eHARS).

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